## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

## Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

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In the Matter of ROGER A. LOOKABAUGH <u>and</u> U.S. POSTAL SERVICE, POST OFFICE, Cuyahoga Falls, OH

Docket No. 98-2045; Submitted on the Record; Issued February 11, 2000

## **DECISION** and **ORDER**

## Before GEORGE E. RIVERS, DAVID S. GERSON, MICHAEL E. GROOM

The issue is whether appellant established that he sustained an emotional condition in the performance of duty.

The Board has given careful consideration to the issue involved, the contentions of the parties on appeal and the entire case record. The Board finds that the May 20, 1998 decision of the hearing representative for the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs is in accordance with the facts and the law in this case and hereby adopts the findings and conclusions of the hearing representative.

The May 20, 1998 decision of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs is hereby affirmed.

Dated, Washington, D.C. February 11, 2000

George E. Rivers Member

David S. Gerson Member

Michael E. Groom Alternate Member